

REMARKS

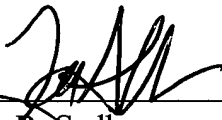
Claims 21-36, 47-70 and 82-96 are or were previously canceled without prejudice. Claims 1-20, 37-46 and 71-81 remain in the application. In view of the following remarks, Applicant respectfully requests allowance of the subject application.

Allowable Subject Matter

Claims 1-20, 37-46 and 71-81 have been indicated by the Office as allowable. Applicant thanks the Office for the indication of allowable subject matter. As all of the rejected claims have been canceled, Applicant respectfully solicits allowance of the application. Applicant reserves its right to prosecute the rejected claims in a continuation application.

Respectfully Submitted,

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